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Applicant: Peter Rieth, et al.  
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Title: STEERING HANDLE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AND METHOD FOR RECORDING A PHYSICAL PARAMETER ON A STEERING HANDLE  
TC/A.U.: **2612**  
Examiner: Lam P. Pham  
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Docket No.: **PC10525US**

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Respectfully submitted,



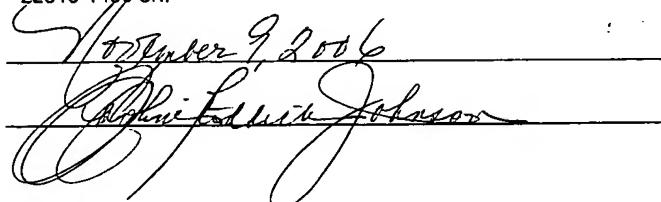
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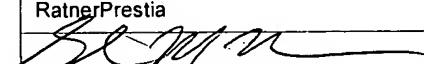
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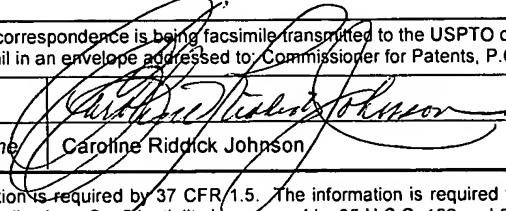
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